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PATENTEE: **COSGROVE et al.**  
PATENT NO: **7,226,756**  
ISSUED: **June 5, 2007**  
TITLE: **PURIFIED PLANT EXPANSIN PROTEINS AND DNA ENCODING SAME**

**CORRECTED REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION OF PATENT  
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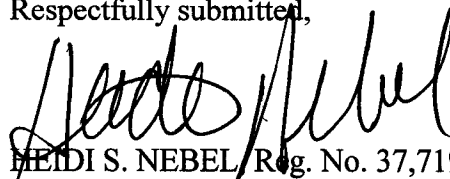
  
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